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SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT

*Pursuant to Section 2 of the Foreign Agents
Registration Act of 1938, as Amended*

16 APR 1982

For Six Month Period Ending _____

(Insert date)

Name of Registrant

Registration No. 456

THE NETHERLANDS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN THE U.S., INC.

Business Address of Registrant

ONE ROCKEFELLER PLAZA, NEW YORK, NY. 10020

I - REGISTRANT

1. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following:

(a) If an individual:

(1) Residence address	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
(2) Citizenship	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
(3) Occupation	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

(b) If an organization:

(1) Name	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(2) Ownership or control	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(3) Branch offices	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

2. Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Item 1.

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSE TO ITEMS 3, 4, and 5.

3. Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name

Position

Date Connection
Ended

See Insert

4. Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period? ☒ Yes No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence Address</i>	<i>Citizenship</i>	<i>Position</i>	<i>Date Assumed</i>
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See Insert

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5. Has any person named in Item 4 rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such person and describe his services.

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6. Have any employees or individuals other than officials, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period?
Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Position or connection</i>	<i>Date terminated</i>
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7. During this 6 month reporting period, have any persons been hired as employees or in any other capacity by the registrant who rendered services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity?
Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence Address</i>	<i>Position or connection</i>	<i>Date connection began</i>
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II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

8. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name of foreign principal

Date of Termination

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9. Have you acquired any new foreign principal¹ during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish following information:

Name and address of foreign principal

Date acquired

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10. In addition to those named in Items 8 and 9, if any, list the foreign principals¹ whom you continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

Netherlands Government, represented by
The Department of Economic Affairs
Bezuidenhoutseweg 151
The Hague (The Netherlands)

III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9, and 10 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services:

Netherlands Department of Economic Affairs, Bezuidenhoutseweg 151
The Hague - The Netherlands

The activities of our organization in the period under report continued to be devoted to the promotion of trade between the United States and The Netherlands as described in our registration statement and in previous reports. These activities consist of the following: Answering trade inquiries from the manufacturers, exporters and importers in the U.S. and in The Netherlands and suggesting appropriate sources of supplies or outlets for their products in the U.S. and U.S. products in Holland. Supplying information regarding trade regulations, restrictions etc. Acting as intermediary in disputes between the U.S. firms in regard to payment, delivery, quality, price etc. Periodical luncheons and seminars of our members. Participation in trade shows.
Note: list of activities attached.

¹ The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in section 1(b) of the Act, an individual or organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a)(9)).

A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those foreign principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)

12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity² as defined below?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter.

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13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, have you engaged in activity on your own behalf which benefits any or all of your foreign principals?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, describe fully.

² The term "political activities" means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

14. (a) RECEIPTS - MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.³

<i>Date</i>	<i>From Whom</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Amount</i>
7/1/81-12/31/81	Department of Economic Affairs		137,131.--
	Dues USA		30,500.--
	Special Services		55,000.--
	Representation		500.--
	Luncheons & Meetings		1,000.--

Total 224,131.--

14. (b) RECEIPTS - THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received any thing of value⁴ other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name of foreign principal</i>	<i>Date received</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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³ A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he collects or receives contributions, loans, money, or other things of value for a foreign principal, as part of a fund raising campaign. See Rule 201(e).

⁴ Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

15. (a) DISBURSEMENTS - MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you

(1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

(2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

Date	To Whom	Purpose	Amount
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DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS
THE HAGUE
SECOND HALF OF 1961

Rent, electricity, office maintenance, insurance	42,633.--
Salaries, taxes, hospitalization	133,880.--
Stationery, Tel & Tel & Postage	16,950.--
Travel, Dues & Publications	22,675.--
Professional fees	4,000.--
Pension Plan	20,600.--
Miscellaneous	2,000.--
Retrenchment expenses	6,000.--
Word processor	3,000.--

Total	251,738.--
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15. (b) DISBURSEMENTS - THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you disposed of anything of value⁵ other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date disposed</i>	<i>Name of person to whom given</i>	<i>On behalf of what foreign principal</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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(c) DISBURSEMENTS - POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value⁵ in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount or thing of value</i>	<i>Name of political organization</i>	<i>Name of candidate</i>
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V - POLITICAL PROPAGANDA

(Section 1(j) of the Act defines "political propaganda" as including any oral, visual, graphic, written, pictorial, or other communication or expression by any person (1) which is reasonably adapted to, or which the person disseminating the same believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert induce, or in any other way influence a recipient or any section of the public within the United States with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party or with reference to the foreign policies of the United States or promote in the United States racial, religious, or social dissensions, or (2) which advocates, advises, instigates, or promotes any racial, social, political, or religious disorder, civil riot, or other conflict involving the use of force or violence in any other American republic or the overthrow of any government or political subdivision of any other American republic by any means involving the use of force or violence.)

16. During this 6 month reporting period, did you prepare, disseminate or cause to be disseminated any political propaganda as defined above? Yes ☐ No ☒

IF YES, RESPOND TO THE REMAINING ITEMS IN THIS SECTION V.

17. Identify each such foreign principal.

⁵ Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has any foreign principal established a budget or allocated a specified sum of money to finance your activities in preparing or disseminating political propaganda?
Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, specify amount, and indicate for what period of time.

19. During this 6 month reporting period, did your activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of political propaganda include the use of any of the following:

☐ Radio or TV broadcasts ☐ Magazine or newspaper articles ☐ Motion picture films ☐ Letters or telegrams
☐ Advertising campaigns ☐ Press releases ☐ Pamphlets or other publications ☐ Lectures or speeches
☐ Other (specify) None

20. During this 6 month reporting period, did you disseminate or cause to be disseminated political propaganda among any of the following groups:

☐ Public Officials ☐ Newspapers ☐ Libraries
☐ Legislators ☐ Editors ☐ Educational institutions
☐ Government agencies ☐ Civic groups or associations ☐ Nationality groups
☐ Other (Specify) None

21. What language was used in this political propaganda:

☐ English ☐ Other (specify) 泰语

22. Did you file with the Registration Section, Department of Justice, two copies of each item of political propaganda material disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☐ 泰语

23. Did you label each item of such political propaganda material with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act? Yes ☐ No ☐ 泰语

24. Did you file with the Registration Section, Department of Justice, a Dissemination Report for each item of such political propaganda material as required by Rule 401 under the Act?

Yes ☐ No ☐ 泰语

VI - EXHIBITS AND ATTACHMENTS

25. EXHIBITS A AND B

- (a) Have you filed for each of the newly acquired foreign principals in Item 9 the following:

Exhibit A⁶ Yes ☐ No ☐

Exhibit B⁷ Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required exhibit.

No newly acquired foreign principals

- (a) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal whom you represented during this six month period?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, have you filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

⁶ The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form OBD-67 (Formerly DJ-306) sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.

⁷ The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form OBD-65 (Formerly DJ-304) sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.

26. EXHIBIT C

If you have previously filed an Exhibit C⁸, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6-month reporting period.

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, have you filed an amendment to the Exhibit C? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

27. SHORT FORM REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Have short form registration statements, been filed by all of the persons named in Items 5 and 7 of the supplemental statement?

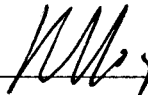
Yes ☐ No ☐ Not to be submitted

If no, list names of persons who have not filed the required statement.

The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in attached Short Form Registration Statement, if any, insofar as such information is not within his (their) his (their) personal knowledge.

(Type or print name under each signature)

(Both copies of this statement shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths by the agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States, if the registrant is an organization.)




_____ KERSEN J. DE JONG

Subscribed and sworn to before me at New York, NY.

this 27th day of May, 19 82

JACOBINA C. FALK
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York
Qualified in Nassau County
No. 30-1154938
Cert. filed in New York Co. Reg.
Commission Expires March 30, 1983



(Signature of notary or other officer)
Jacobina C. Falk

⁸ The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, constitution, and bylaws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause shown upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Internal Security Section, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530.

- 3- Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? YES

Mr. H.Y. de Schepper
one Old Clubhouse Road
Old Greenwich, CT. 06870

Director

November 12, 1982

Mr. M. de Ruiter
Royal Netherlands S.S. Co.
5 World Trade Center
ste 7411
New York, NY. 10005

Director

November 12, 1982

Mr. H.A.H. Sijthoff
20 Mansion Place
Greenwich, CT. 06830

Director

November 12, 1982

Mr. Leo van Munching
Van Munching and Co., Inc.
51 West 51st Street
New York, NY. 10019

Director

November 12, 1982

- 4- Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period?
YES

Mr. J. S. Spriggs
Berkel, Inc.
One Berkel Drive
La Porte, IN. 46350

Director

November 12, 1982

Mr. George W. Altvater
Port of Rotterdam
12223 Broken Arrow
Houston, TX. 77024

Director

November 12, 1982



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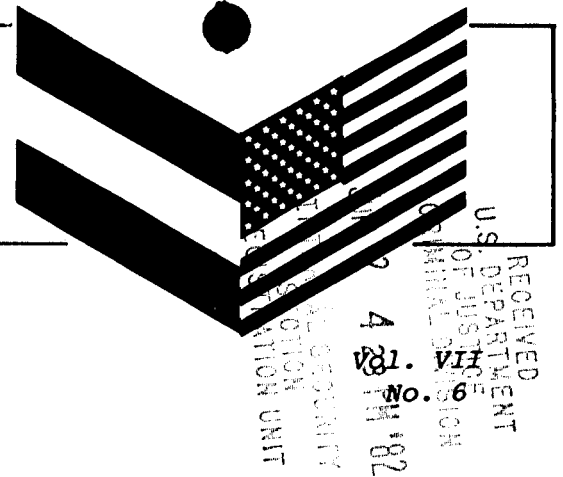
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August 2-5	National Fancy Food & Confection Show
August 15-18	National Hardware Show
September 15-17	Westcon/81
September 26-27	International Marine Trades Exhibit and Conference
October 17-20	National Casual Furniture Market
November 3-5	Automotive Parts & Accessories Assn.
November 8-11	National Hotel & Motel Show
November 10-12	Midcon 81



The Netherlands Chamber of Commerce in the U.S. Inc.



SEPTEMBER 1981

NEWSLETTER

THE COMMEMORATION OF THE NETHERLANDS-AMERICAN BICENTENNIAL IN 1982

During the past 18 months, the Netherlands-American Bicentennial Commission has been working long and hard to put together a package of events and projects to commemorate the Netherlands-American Bicentennial in 1982. The major thrust of their planning has been to produce and fund events and activities which would take place in the Netherlands to provide the Dutch citizenry with a better understanding. However, they are also assisting in various activities and projects which will occur in the United States.

With the official visit of Queen Beatrix, next April, 1982 it is bound to be memorable for citizens throughout both the United States and the Netherlands. It will be the first time in three decades that a reigning monarch of the Netherlands is coming to the United States for a state visit. The 1982 official visit by Queen Beatrix and Prince Claus will be the highlight of the Netherlands-American Bicentennial celebration. Her official visit to Washington will occur April 19 to 22, as was announced by United States and Netherlands government officials.

Many prestigious American companies and banking institutions with vital business ties to the Netherlands have banded together under the auspices of the Netherlands-American Bicentennial Commission to assure successful celebrations and to mark the 200th anniversary of America's longest unbroken international friendship.

Commission members will sponsor a variety of activities celebrating the special place the Netherlands holds in American hearts. Starting January 1 and running into 1983, the NACB and nearly 50 Dutch-American societies coast to coast plan a glittering galaxy of grand Bicentennial events. If you and your company wish to participate in the Bicentennial planning process, please contact:

The Netherlands-American Bicentennial Commission
1725 De Sales Street N.W. - Suite 304
Washington, D.C. 20036
Tel.: (202) 659-0697

EXPECTED GROWTH RATES IN THE NETHERLANDS FOR 1981

Wage bill per employee in enterprise -----	8%
Price index of consumption by households ----- 6 to	6.5%
Import prices -----	8.5%
Competitive export prices -----	8.5%

COST OF LIVING IN THE NETHERLANDS

The family consumer price index in The Netherlands rose from 141.9 in May to 142.0 in June 1981. (1975 = 100)

HOLLAND'S CLONED FLOWERS GROW IN POPULARITY

While scientists and politicians debate the merits of "genetic engineering", flower growers in Holland are busy turning out clones. Reproducing "perfect" plants from their cells rather than their seeds still is a small part of Holland's more than \$1 billion export business as scientists continue to test new varieties. The flowers are cloned, said an official of Honselersdijk's cooperative central Westland Cut Flower Auction, by taking cells from most desired plants and growing them in pots of special stones that allow the roots to expand rapidly and the plants to grow faster.

IMPROVED ICP SOURCE

Improved performance in the analysis of aqueous and organic solutions by emission spectrometry is possible with the latest version of the Philips inductively coupled plasma (ICP) source, the PV 8490. Revised geometry gives more efficient plasma generation, whilst intermediate tube modifications overcome the problems of salt deposits from aqueous solutions and carbon build-up from organic materials.

DU PONT CO.

Du Pont Co. announced that its Du Pont de Nemours Nederland B.V. subsidiary will build a facility to produce Teracol polytetramethylene ether glycol (PT-MEG) at its plant in Dordrecht, the Netherlands. Teracol is a chemical used in the production of spandex fibers, urethane polymers and copolyester elastomers. The project, which will cost more than \$25 million and employ approximately 65, is scheduled for completion in early 1983, a spokesman for Du Pont said. Other products manufactured at the site are Lycra elastane fiber, Delrin (acetal resin), Teflon PTFE (fluorocarbon resins) and Freon (fluorocarbon products). Du Pont at Dordrecht currently employs more than 1,350.

EAST COAST MEMBERSHIP

We are privileged to welcome the following new members to our Chamber:

Bangor Airport Civic Development Corp.
73 Harlow Street
Bangor, ME 04401

International Business Administration
Service Corporation
7807 Exeter Road
Bethesda, MD 20014

Bredero Consulting New York, Inc.
342 Madison Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10173

H.L. Reid Company, Inc.
150 East 77th Street
New York, N.Y. 10021

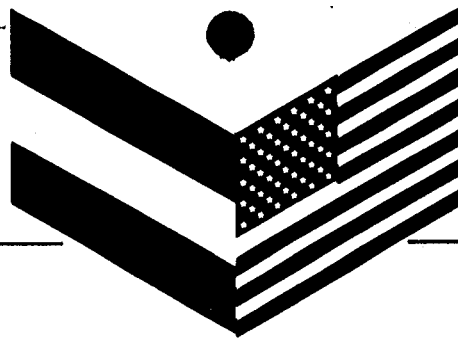
The First National Bank of Boston
100 Federal Street
Boston, MA 02110

Vaness, Inc.
2065 Peachtree Industrial Court
Atlanta, GA 30341

MERCK SHARP & DOHME EXPANDS IN HOLLAND

Merck Sharp & Dohme B.V., the Dutch subsidiary of Merck Sharp & Dohme International, recently opened a new plant for the production of antiparasitic animal Health products in Haarlem, the Netherlands. The new plant employs 25 people and will export its products worldwide.

The Netherlands Chamber of Commerce in the U.S. Inc.



OCTOBER 1981

NEWSLETTER

66th INTERNATIONAL HOTEL/MOTEL & RESTAURANT SHOW New York, N.Y. - November 8-11, 1981

After an absence of several years, a combined Netherlands participation will be sponsored again by the Netherlands Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries for the International Hotel/Motel and Restaurant Show, 1981. The Netherlands will be represented by a booth of 1200 square feet where 15 manufacturers, packers and brewers will show and sample their products for the institutional trade. All booths on the four floors of the New York Coliseum are already booked for this forthcoming event and a great number of visitors are expected.

SHELL ANNOUNCES A NEW TYPE OF RUBBER FOR USE IN TIRES

Shell International Chemical Co. Ltd. has announced the launch of Cariflex SSCP 901, a solution polymerized styrene-butadiene rubber to be used in tread compounds for radial tires. The new rubber imparts to tires a unique combination of high wet grip and low rolling resistance. In tires based on conventional rubbers, these properties are conflicting and improvement of one can only be achieved at the expense of the other. Tires can now be made with the new Shell rubber offering significant improvements in fuel economy - determined by a tire's rolling resistance - without sacrificing wet grip safety standards.

Cariflex SSCP 901 is being introduced to the tire industry in sample quantities from a small-scale manufacturing unit at Shell Nederland Chemie's Pernis site in the Netherlands, where full-scale commercial production is planned to come on stream by mid-1982.

DUTCH CLAIM A FIRST

Eindhoven, the fifth largest city in Holland, is in the heart of industrial Europe. It is the home of the Philips Gloeilampenfabrieken and will soon open what is said to be the first World Trade Center for Electronics (WTCE).

Scheduled to open early next year, the 12-building Eindhoven complex will specialize in things like imports, exports and joint ventures for small to medium electronics firms. An American Electronics Center within the WTCE will cater to U.S. companies. The Dutch are also sweetening the pot for smaller firms by building an independent Center for Microelectronics, with an emphasis on applications R&D.

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FOKKER, McDONNELL DOUGLAS PRESENT DESIGN FOR MDF-100

Fokker and McDonnell Douglas have begun a second round of presentations to airlines of a modified version of their proposed MDF-100 medium range 150 seat airliner. In this month, they hope to complete discussions with airlines in the U.S., Europe, the Far East and Australia. The final design will then be put to potential customers in November. The MDF-100 would have a higher tail plane leading to an additional fuel saving of up to 3%. The original two-wheel main landing gear will be replaced by four wheel bogies to extend the number of airfields which can be used.

Fokker and McDonnell Douglas have formally requested three engine manufacturers to submit proposals for an engine providing 23,400 pounds of take-off thrust. The two companies are seeking an engine offering fuel consumption more advanced than even the latest engines committed to production and requires engine certification by late 1985. The Dutch government has revealed that it was prepared to provide \$665 million for backing of the aircraft, more than twice what was previously indicated.

LOW-ENERGY FURNACE FOR CERAMICS, METAL INDUSTRIES

Gemco Engineers B.V. of Holland has introduced a low-energy furnace designed especially for the metalworking and ceramics industries. Its lightweight insulating material achieves significant savings in fuels. The furnace can be used in the production of ferrous and nonferrous materials, for heat treatment and research purposes and in chemical processes. Achievement of 1200°C is possible in a much shorter time and with much less energy than when conventional insulating materials are used. The heating elements are free standing so that heat can be emitted freely and the elements have a longer life than normal.

EAST COAST MEMBERSHIP

We are privileged to welcome the following new members to our Chamber:

Buyers International
924 West End Avenue
Suite 23
New York, NY 10025

Hill and Knowlton, Inc.
633 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10017

Leo Josephs & Company
32 Maple Avenue
Morristown, NJ 07960

Loyens and Volkmaars
555 Madison Avenue
New York, NY 10022

Michael Lynn & Associates
67 Wall Street
New York, NY 10005

Philips Information Systems, Inc.
4040 McEwen
Dallas, TX 75234

Savage/Fogarty/Redele
699 Prince Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Meindert Witteveen
P.O. Box 105 (Wine Road)
New Braintree, MA 01531

THE NETHERLANDS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN THE UNITED STATES, INC.

303 E. WACKER, SUITE 412, CHICAGO, IL 60601
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BICENTENNIAL

From April 19 to October 8, 1982 the United States and the Netherlands jointly will commemorate the 200th anniversary of America's oldest, continuously peaceful diplomatic relations.

On April 19, 1782 the Netherlands recognized the United States as an independent nation, and on October 8, 1782 the first Treaty of Amity and Commerce between our two countries was signed.

The history of these unique relations can be obtained by requesting a news release through our Chamber's office or the Netherlands Consulate General in Chicago. By means of our newsletter you will be kept informed on commercial as well as cultural activities that will take place during the bicentennial year 1982.

15,000 TULIP BULBS GIVEN TO CHICAGO

The Hon. Simon C. van Nispen, Consul General of the Netherlands, presented Mayor Jane M. Byrne of the City of Chicago on October 27 with a small crate of tulip bulbs, the first of 15,000 tulip bulbs donated by the Netherlands in commemoration of 200 years of diplomatic relations between our two nations.

The Netherlands Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, with the cooperation of the Netherlands Flower Bulb Institute, made this presentation possible. These bulbs are being planted along the State Street Mall in Chicago, and, when they bloom in the spring of 1982, will symbolize the goodwill of the people of the Netherlands towards Americans throughout the United States and especially in Chicago.

The State Street Council, the Netherlands Consulate General and our Chamber are involved in the planning of a week long promotion on State Street from May 3-8. State Street stores will cooperate with in-store promotional tie-ins and activities in the State Street Mall demonstrating Dutch crafts, and performances by folkloristic groups and the Royal Dutch Navy Band.

For further information on the commercial activities during the May 3-8 Bicentennial Celebration please call the Chamber.

COST OF LIVING

The family consumer price index in the Netherlands rose from 142.0 in June to 143.1 in July, 143.6 in August, and to 145.2 in September 1981 (1975 = 100).

NEW MEMBERS

AGO Verzekeringen
Herengracht 182
1016 BR Amsterdam
Mr. H.J.G.M. de Roij, Dir.Int.Affairs.

Mr. Fred Roosli
Realtor
P. O. Box 772613
Steamboat Springs, CO 80477.

Schenkers International Forwarders Inc.
4225 N. Transworld Road
Schiller Park, IL 60176
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TRADE FAIRS IN THE NETHERLANDS

1981

Savva Europa Show
(European Pet Show)

November 27-29 at the RAI Amsterdam.

1982

Horecava 82

(International trade fair for the hotel and catering industries)

January 4-7 at the RAI Amsterdam

Vakbeurs Koffers en Lederwaren

(Trade Show for Travel & Leather Goods)

January 11-13 at the Jaarbeurs Utrecht.

Souvenirbeurs

(International Souvenir Fair)

January 11-14 at the Jaarbeurs Utrecht.

Vakantie

(Tourism and Recreation Fair)

January 13-17 at the Jaarbeurs Utrecht.

Landbouw RAI 82

(Int'l Farming Machinery Trade Show)

January 18-23 at the RAI Amsterdam.

Karwei

(Do-it-yourself Trade Show)

January 25-13 at the Jaarbeurs Utrecht.

Kreatief

(Exhibition of material and equipment for use in leisure activities)

Jan. 31 - Feb.1 at the Jaarbeurs Utrecht.

Bedrijfsauto RAI 82

(International commercial motor show)

February 4-13 at the RAI Amsterdam.

Roka

(International Food Fair)

February 14-18 at the Jaarbeurs Utrecht.

The Design Fair '82

(Fair for new original designs for fashion fabrics, home furnishings and other decorative products)

February 17-19 at the RAI Amsterdam.

Tweewieler RAI 82

(Int'l Cycle and Motorcycle Show)

February 22-28 at the RAI Amsterdam.

VAN GEND & LOOS, INC. - NEW ADDRESS

Van Gend & Loos, Inc. have recently relocated their Midwest offices to:

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DU PONT-PHILIPS JOINT VENTURE TO MAKE TAPES AND CASSETTES

A new joint venture for the manufacture and worldwide sale of chromium-dioxide magnetic tape and cassette products has been formed by E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. of Delaware and N.V. Philips of the Netherlands. The new 50-50 venture, called PD Magnetics B.V., employs 250.

Philips markets the cassettes through its overseas sales network, while Du Pont supplies the chromium-dioxide powder for the Crolyn II tape formulation - the only type PD Magnetics will produce.

The company estimated that the magnetic tape market will grow to \$4 to \$5 billion annually by the mid-1980s.

FOKKER DISPLAYING NEW AIRPLANE DESIGN

A revised and more fuel-efficient design for the Dutch-American MDF100 airliner is being presented to air carriers in the U.S., Europe, Australia and Asia, Fokker Aircraft Co. of the Netherlands said.

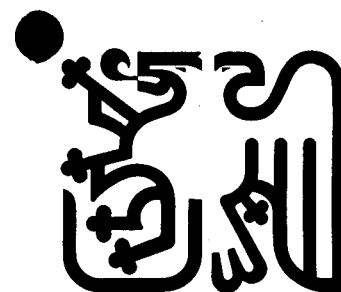
The presentation marks the second stage in the \$787 million development of the 150-seat, turbo-fan airliner, which Fokker and McDonnell Douglas Corp. hope to deliver beginning in 1986.

Leo Steyn, a spokesman for Fokker, said the revisions included a dual-aisle cabin layout and a four-wheel instead of a two-wheel landing gear. The additional landing wheels would allow the plane to operate from smaller airfields with lower landing pressure limits.

According to Mr. Steyn, the main change is the reversion to the Fokker-style elevated tail configuration. Tests have shown that the high tail is between 2.5% and 3% more fuel-efficient than the low tail first proposed.

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YVONNE SIMONS EXHIBIT AT NEDERLANDSE MIDDENSTANDBANK

Until December 31st, the New York branch of the Nederlandse Middenstandsbank at 450 Park Avenue, New York is presenting an exhibit of selected paintings by Ms. Yvonne Simons.

Born in Tilburg, the Netherlands, Ms. Simons received her formal education at the Royal Academy of Visual Art in 's-Hertogenbosch. In 1978 as winner of the "Fullbright grant" she studied at the Brooklyn College in New York.

Ms. Yvonne Simons was the founder of "Woman in the Art" in 1978.

Her first "one person" show was in 1979 at the Gallery De Heer in Tilburg.

Ms. Simons has exhibited in a number of local shows in the Netherlands as well as in the United States.

Newspaper articles say about her work: "The figures are painted very directly on the canvas in a skillful coloring..., the totality fascinates enormously." Nieuwsblad van het Zuiden wrote, "The strong concentrated composition of form and color is the essential element in Simons' work." Art Speaks of November '80 said, "Yvonne Simons shows skilled abstraction with mood 'highlights' to the point of drama. The traces of nude figures link the ethereal to the sensual in these large dynamic works."

COST OF LIVING

The family consumer price index in the Netherlands rose from 145.2 in September to 146.3 in October 1981 (1975 = 100).

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ALLIED CORP. LICENSES USE OF ITS TECHNOLOGY FOR PLANT IN GELEEN

Allied Corp. said it signed a licensing agreement with the Dutch subsidiary of Houston-based M.W. Kellogg Co. to build a plant in Geleen, The Netherlands.

* SEASON'S GREETINGS *

* HAPPY NEW YEAR *

U.S. FILM FIRMS IRKED BY DUTCH PIRATES WHO ILLEGALLY BROADCAST MOVIES ON TV

A subscription to the Amsterdam cable television network, KTA, is like a season ticket to the best movie theater in town. And, at the equivalent of \$3.80 a month, it certainly beats paying as much as \$7.50 a ticket at the box office.

The wide variety in current, top-flight movies isn't officially part of the cable service. It is, however, a bonus to viewers provided by a growing number of television pirates who flout just about every media law on the books.

The illegal operators have found in the past year that, with an investment of about \$4,800 for equipment, they can use the cable to broadcast into subscriber homes for about 3 hours nightly after regular cable service has ended. Using portable equipment that is often left unattended in case of police raids, the pirates beam a weak signal directly at the KTA master antenna from a range of as close as 1,000 yards. The antenna automatically picks up the signal and moves it along to subscribers.

For television viewers willing to stay up late, it means a diet of current movies and other fare, along with ads from local shops willing to pay about \$120 a week for getting their messages across.

"As far as I know, the situation here is unique," said Edward Engels, a lawyer hired by the Motion Picture Association of America, or MPAA, to fight the illegal screening of American movies.

Mr. Engels's campaign against the pirates is backed by 11 U.S. film companies.

The pirates' air time is allocated by their own underground association, which reportedly has 30 member stations in the city.

Most hurt by the Dutch television pirates are film distributors and theaters, which have watched attendance plummet since the advent of the pirates. According to some reports, movie-house chains have tried using jamming devices to stop the pirates, but apparently with little success. The MPAA's court action promises to be more successful, but still faces a supreme court test.

NEW DUTCH EXPORT PRODUCTS

- High-speed braille line printer
- Disposable hypodermic syringe with conical tip
- Dockside arms for ship cleaning
- Ultraviolet liquid sterilisers
- A new concept in fishing nets
- Equipment for the restoration and preservation of archives
- Adjustable acoustic system
- Stacker crane which can drive round corners and across switching points
- Aluminum pile-dwelling
- Elastocoat
- Bottle conveyor and crate conveyor
- Electric lighter for barbecues & fires
- Electric steering gear
- Robot spinning lathe

INDUSTRIAL REPORTS

- New developments in coal mining
- The production of drinking water
- International activities of Dutch contractors

If you would like the names and addresses of the manufacturers of the abovementioned Dutch export products or a copy of the industrial reports, please call the Chamber's office at (212) 265-6460.

PREWAY INC. BUYS DUTCH FIRM

Preway Inc. of Wisconsin said it completed the purchase of Cox-Geelen BV, a Dutch maker of chimneys & ventilation equipment.

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